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EYES ONLY FROM [REDACTED] (OUT 78480) *McCONE			
1. REF DIR 37223: I SUGGEST MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO CONCLUSION			
LAST SENTENCE PARAGRAPH D. AS AN ALTERNATIVE I CAN SEE THAT			
AN OFFENSIVE SOVIET CUBAN BASE WILL PROVIDE SOVIETS WITH MOST			
IMPORTANT AND EFFECTIVE TRADING POSITION IN CONNECTION WITH DD1			
ALL OTHER CRITICAL AREAS AND HENCE THEY MIGHT TAKE AN UNEXPECTED			
RISK IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH SUCH A POSITION.			
2. [REDACTED]			
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<p>3. FOR BUNDY: WILL LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN PARIS AND HOPE YOUR SCHEDULE WILL PERMIT A VISIT THIS COMING WEEKEND.</p> <p>4. FOR ELDER: IF YOU FEEL IMPORTANT TO DO SO POUCH SELECTED DOCUMENTS INCLUDING RECENT CUBAN NIE'S, MEMORANDA OF INTER-DEPARTMENTAL MEETINGS, [REDACTED] FOR STUDY EN ROUTE. HOWEVER DO NOT REPEAT NOT DO THIS IF SPECIAL COURIER IS INVOLVED.</p> <p>5. [REDACTED]</p>		
END OF MESSAGE		
<p>C/S Comments: * The possible establishment of Soviet medium and intermediate range ballistic missiles in Cuba, or the establishment of a Soviet submarine base there would indicate a far greater willingness to increase the level of risk in U.S.-Soviet relations than the Soviet Union has displayed thus far, and consequently would have important policy implications with respect to other areas and other problems in East-West relations.</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>		
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